



Events This Week—Week 3

Peace Week

Mon 7 Aug—Stars Netball visit for Year 5 & 6

Tues 8 Aug—Yr 5 & 6 Franklin Netball

Tues 8 Aug—PTA Meeting—7 p.m. All Welcome

Wed 9 Aug—Stars Netball visit for Year 3 & 4 (11.30—12.30)

Thurs 10 Aug—Yr 7 & 8 Technology (note change)

Fri 11 Aug—Yr 3 & 4 Franklin Netball

Events Next Week—Week 4

Tue 15 Aug—Franklin Vets visit

Wed 16 Aug—School Cross Country beginning at 11.45am—Yr 0/1

Wed 16 Aug—Franklin Mathex Competition (selected chn)

Wed 16 Aug—BOT Meeting—6 p.m.

Fri 18 Aug—School Assembly

Fri 18 Aug—Animal entries for Agricultural Day close

Community Notices

LOST UNIFORM—size 6 shorts and t-shirt named Aiden Clark. If found please return to Room 5.

MARKET DAY—Tuakau Sea Scouts are holding a market day & monster garage sale on Sunday 20th August at their Scout Hall, River Road Tuakau. Doors open at 8.00am. Lots of bargains, food and drink to enjoy. See their Facebook page for more information.

ALL BLACKS v STEELERS v TARANAKI—Ecolight Stadium, Friday 11 August at 6pm. Curtain raiser—Secondary School Finals. Bouncy castle, spot prizes, kids games at half time. Best dressed family in Steelers colours wins a double family pass to Rainbow's End. Adult—\$20, student—\$15, child—\$10. Tickets available from www.iticket.co.nz or www.steelers.co.nz.

BOMBAY-PAPAKURA PONY CLUB is a small club catering to the local community with openings for new members. The 2017 season is about to start with weekly lessons. Our unmounted Open Day is Sunday 20th August 1.00 - 4.00pm at Lowry Road Bombay but enquiries are welcome any time by contacting Ruth on 027 619 2413 or visit <http://www.sporty.co.nz/bombaypc>.

NEED A LAMB FOR AGRICULTURAL DAY—Lambs available from Kainui Ranges farm, located out the back of Onewhero. Lambs will be at least 4-5 days old. \$50 per lamb. Free delivery. Contact Kate Reese on 021 217 0646 or via email at kate@teamreese.co.nz to register your interest.

Taking sign-ups now for my next **TY PT WOMENS BOXING** 6week training block. Starts August 15th Tuesday evenings 6pm Buckland and Thursday evenings 6pm Pukekohe. All levels welcome-child friendly-heaps of fun-all gear provided. Sign up at www.transformya.co.nz or ph 0212162371 while spots last.

Buckland School is committed to providing quality education that engages all students fully in a wide range of learning experiences that will assist them in preparing for the challenges of the future.

Term 3 Week 3

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Monday 7 August 2017

Dear Parents and Community Members

Tena Koutou

- ◆ **Olympic Value for this term: Joy of Effort**
- ◆ **Enrolment for 2018—Student Numbers** —At the August BOT meeting your Board must make the decision as to whether to hold a ballot for next year or not, and if so how many places will be available. We need your help to establish the closest approximation we can get on what our numbers will be at the beginning and throughout the year so that we can ensure staffing and funding supports all our children. Would you please let Mrs Glasgow or Mrs Mills know if your child/children will not be attending in 2018 or if you know of new children to the school zone who will require a place.
- ◆ **Agricultural Day**—Indoor activities for Ag Day have been finalised and teachers will send these home this week (if they haven't already.) Information for each class will also be available on our website if you lose the paper copy. Please don't hesitate to ask questions of your child's teacher if you are not sure of anything. We all want the Ag Day experience to be as enjoyable and stress-free as possible for children, parents and staff. The project for those in Yr 4—8 who are not having animals is also on the website: Happening Hangers.
- ◆ **Agricultural Day Animals**—Entry forms for animals are available from the office noticeboard and the school website. **Entries close on Friday 18 August.** Please place entries in the drawer in the office foyer. Also available on the website are the leading courses for calves, lambs and goats.
- ◆ **Visit by Franklin Vets**—Emily from Franklin Vets will be here to speak to children regarding the care of their animals on Tuesday 15 August at 2.15pm. Following this at 3pm she will be available to vaccinate and dock lambs and vaccinate goats on the small field beside the church.

Thank you to:

- ◆ To parents who made the Wellington Camp meeting last week.
- ◆ To members of the Counties Manukau Steelers rugby team who visited last week.
- ◆ Ag Day Stall holders who attended the clinic last week and for all the efforts you are putting into the organisation of your stall.
- ◆ Parents who assisted with transport and supervision at the Year 7/8 netball last week.
- ◆ Mrs Screen who organised the visit for the Stars netball team to visit the school.
- ◆ Parents who attended the school assembly last week.

Help Wanted for the Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop **urgently** needs another person to help run the shop. The shop is open on Tuesday mornings from 8.30am and remains open usually until about 9.15am. If you are able to help please contact the school office.

Buckland School Cross Country Wednesday 16 August 2017

Approximate start times:

- Yr 0/1 girls/boys 11.45 am
- Yr 2 girls 12.00 noon
- Yr 2 boys 12.10 pm
- Yr 3 girls 12.15 pm
- Yr 3 boys 12.20pm
- Lunch break 12.40 pm
- Yr 4 girls & boys 1.15 pm
- Yr 5 girls & boys 1.30pm
- Yr 6 girls 1.45pm
- Yr 6 boys 2.00pm
- Yr 7 & 8 girls 2.15pm
- Yr 7 & 8 boys 2.30pm



Qualifying for North Group
Cross Country is by time

Pukekohe Raceway Kids Obstacle Duathlon, will be held again this year in Week 10, on Tuesday 26th September. This event is designed for Year 3 – 8 students to represent their school in a test of their endurance. This is a professionally managed event with over 50 volunteer marshals, loads of spot prizes, prizes for the winners and loads of fun racing on a motor-racing track! Last year there were 430 competitors competing individually or in 2 –Person Teams. This year extra obstacles have been introduced on the obstacle course run, and a **new event “Bike Time Trial”**. Also Year 3 students are allowed to participate in the Year 4 category. Check out the attached slideshow for more information. Entries close on the 19th September. Enter on line at. www.bsgevents.co.nz Last year’s video will also give you an indication of how much fun the event is! https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NQKF4_7XC_E

Congratulations to:

- ◆ To the following children who received certificates as last week’s assembly: Rm1—Olivia, Ayla, Henry, Xavier, Rm2—Charley, Flynn, Jamie-Lee, Toby, Rm3—Jackson, Kiani, Ryan, Dylan, Rm4—Lincoln, Jorja, Charlie, Rm5—Isobel, Saige, Aiden, Vincent, Rm6—Georgia, Lauren, Elena, Ruben, Rm7—Joel, Abby, Connor, Finn, Rm8—Lachlan, Anna, Grace, George, Rm9—Madison, Robert, Quartz-Lee, Kiara, Rm10—Zane, Ryan, Caitlin, Hannah
Principal’s Award: Rikki-Lee—Room 3
Lion Award: Ella—Room 9
School Values Awards: Dyllan—Room 8 and Ayla—Room 1
Newsletter Draw: De’Arth & Burgess families
- ◆ To the following children who received Gold Mathletics Certificates at last week’s assembly: Rm10—Matthew, Grady, Summer, Sylvie, Rm8—Brayden, Angus, Rm7—Connor, Samara-Jane, Ava-Grace, Rm5—Lachlan, Isobel, Aidan, Rm3—Taylor, Rikki-Lee, Kiani
Top Mathlete: Meg—Room 5
Top Mathletics Class: Room 5
Gold Bar Awards: Leo, Max, Rubia—all Room 3

All the best for Week 3

Kindest Regards

Mavis Glasgow—Principal

Newsletter Return Slip Draw —Wk 3 T 3 2017

The family received the newsletter this week. Signed: _____
(enter family name)